

## Chapter 8: “This Really Happened”

“I didn’t know back then that one person can have such effect on another.” -- Ruth

- ☐ **STEP 1:** Read the Grammar Girl Guide to Effect vs. Affect
- ☐ **STEP 2:** Do the AFFECT V. EFFECT practice sheets.
- ☐ **STEP 3:** Complete a CAUSE AND EFFECT graphic organizer that focuses on one of the following characters in chapter eight: Cody, Ruth, Luke, Ezra, Pearl.
- ☐ **STEP 4:** Repeat step 3 until you have a G.O. for each of the first three characters and one for Ezra OR Pearl.

### GUIDELINES:

- Analyze, investigate, and assess. Do NOT simply recall, identify, or repeat.
  - In other words, look for causes beneath the surface and think about what happens beyond what is simply reported.
  - Make it HOT (higher-order-thinking)! Once you have an idea, think a bit longer and further on it—could you take your analysis one more step?
- Focus on events and details revealed in this chapter.
  - You may find causes earlier in the plot, but examine how that cause is working on the character in this chapter specifically for a more engaging answer.
- Work with the person/people in your row. Be sure everyone contributes!

